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**7th Sunday of Easter (B) 15th/16th May 2021**

*Wrexham Diocese Charity Number 700426*

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**Next Sunday is Pentecost Sunday – parishioners will need to book for all 3 Masses.**

**Please either see one of the stewards this week or contact Canon Joe.**

**Sat 15th May 5.30pm @ CQ 7th Sunday of Easter Dave Johnson RIP** (Stewards – K Morris, J Baker)

**Sun 16th May 9.30am @ QF “ “ “ “ Deceased Members of Johnson & Hinton Family**

(Stewards – D & C Fellows, P & C Field)

**Sun 16th May 11am @ CQ “ “ “ “ People of the Parish** (Stewards – L Voas. S Copp)

Tues 18th  May 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the Day Deceased of Stapleton Family RIP (Stewards – D & C Fellows)

Wed 19th  May 10am @ CQ Liturgy of the Day Rebecca Murphy (sick) (Stewards – C Murdoch, L Voas)

Thu 20th May 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the Day Catherine Caunce (sick) (Stewards – P & C Field)

Fri 21st May 10am @ CQ Liturgy of the Day Catherine Cunningham RIP (Stewards – K Morris, P Thornton)

**Sat 22nd May 5.30pm @ CQ Pentecost Sunday Kevin & Christine Maughan & Family** (Stewards – K Morris, J Baker)

**Sun 23rd May 9.30am @ QF “ “ “ Sisters Brigid, Mary & Pauline** (Stewards – D & C Fellows, P & C Field)

**Sun 23rd May 11am @ CQ “ “ “ People of the Parish** (Stewards – L Voas, S Copp)

**Rotas at Connah’s Quay**

**Readers:** 15th/16th May : 5.30pm – R Molyneux 11.00am – M Catherwood

22nd/23rd May : 5.30pm – J Cawley 11.00am – Griffiths Family

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You can follow live streaming of Mass & other services from Bishop Peter via the Diocesan Facebook page - [**https://www.facebook.com/wrexhamdiocese/**](https://www.facebook.com/wrexhamdiocese/) There are also links to other Churches in the Diocese who are streaming Masses.

**Please Pray For**:-

* Monsignor Clyde Johnson of Menevia Diocese who has recently suffered a stroke
* Mark Hewitt who is in hospital
* Gerard O’Sullivan, who is recovering from an operation
* Margaret Parkinson who is in hospital
* Christine Maughan who is ill, and her husband Kevin & family members
* All the sick of the Parish

**A FURTHER REMINDER OF MASS RULES – PLEASE ALSO REMEMBER TO FOLLOW ALL THE INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN BY THE STEWARDS**

1. When people come into Church, they must first wash their hands. 2. People MUST stay 2m apart (unless from the same household).
2. Face masks are mandatory unless you are exempt from wearing one. 4. The maximum number permitted at Mass will be 35
3. Mass will be much shorter than usual – there will be no singing, and Communion will be given out at the end of Mass.

**Ascension to Pentecost Novena** - The Catholic Bishops’ Conference has published a Novena on the Care of Creation. It’s a selection of readings and prayers from the Bible and recent Papal teaching which complement and reinforce our need to respond to the climate change issues our world is facing. Download the Novena at **http://www.cbcew.org.uk/environment-novena/**

**Year Of the Family** – The Diocese would like to encourage all parishes to celebrate the joy of family. We are invited to pray a special new intercession for families each month during the Prayer of the Faithful on the third Sunday of the month.

The intercession for the month of May – “We pray in this ‘Year of the Family’ for all the families in our Diocese; that they may live the qualities and virtues of the Holy Family as a joy that fills their hearts and lives.”

**Collections for Church Funds**: Total collections:- 7th/8th May CQ £122.72, Gift Aid £394.00, Church Students’ Fund Gift Aid £45.00. QF £397.00, Gift Aid £74.00

You may wish to set up a Standing Order to give your donations regularly – please contact Canon Joe for bank details.

**Please consider giving your offertory collection in a Gift Aid envelope if you pay tax (a higher rate tax payer can obtain a further 20% tax relief)**.

**Items for the bulletin**: to Ann Payton by Weds evening please, tel 01244 821010 or e-mail [ann.dragonden@btinternet.com](mailto:ann.dragonden@btinternet.com)